



**King County**  
**PHARMACIST**  
**PUBLIC HEALTH- SEATTLE & KING COUNTY**  
**CHARS/Jail Health Services**  
**Hourly Rate Range \$29.93 - \$37.94**  
**Job Announcement No: 03RM3530**  
**OPEN: 7/2/03CLOSE: 7/15/03**

**WHO MAY APPLY:** This career service position is open to all qualified.

**WHERE TO APPLY:** Required forms and materials **must** be sent to: **Employment Services, 999 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Suite 1230, Seattle, WA 98104.** Applications materials must be received by 4:30 p.m. on the closing date. (Postmarks are NOT ACCEPTED.) Contact Tina Abbott at (206) 205-0756 for further inquiries.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Applications not received at the location specified above may not be processed.

**FORMS AND MATERIALS REQUIRED:** A [King County application form, data sheet](#), resume and letter of interest detailing your background and describing how you meet or exceed the requirements are required.

**WORK LOCATION:** Primary assignment will be to the King County Correctional Facility, 500 Fifth Avenue, Seattle, WA 98104. Occasional work will also be performed at the Regional Justice Center, 620 West James Street, Kent, WA 98032.

**WORK SCHEDULE:** This career service exempt position is overtime eligible. It works a 40-hour workweek in a 24-hour facility and may have variable work hours and days. Weekend (Saturday and/or Sunday) work will be required.

**PRIMARY JOB FUNCTIONS:** Dispense prescriptions and maintain paper and automated records of prescriptions by individual recipient. Monitor drug therapy by evaluating patient medical history, clinically significant drug interactions, adverse reactions, therapeutic duplications, drug dosage and compliance with prescription order. Provide drug education to patients and health care providers. Act as preceptor for pharmacy students. Provide quality improvement services in individual health facility by providing drug use management programs and participating in facility's activities. Maintain inventory control and purchase, receive and place in stock all drug and pharmacy supplies. Oversee and direct work of technical staff. Assure all operations are in accordance with state and federal regulations. Participate in clinic activities as assigned by Chief of Pharmacy.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Current Washington State Board of Pharmacy Pharmacist license. Must have current knowledge of disease states and other health issues utilizing pharmaceutical therapy, current therapeutic use of drugs, clinically significant drug interactions and adverse drug reactions. This knowledge needs to be in depth and applicable to the health issues addressed by Public Health. Must have current knowledge of drug names, strength, dosage forms, generic equivalents and delivery systems. Skilled in working with individuals from a variety of ethnic, racial, religious and socio-economic backgrounds. Must be able to work well as a contributing member of a diverse multi-disciplinary staff. Must have good written and oral communication skills, including the ability to give oral presentations to health care professionals. Must have good organizational and problem-solving skills. Ability to work all shifts required.

**NECESSARY SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:**

- Security clearance, use of ID badge. Appointment is provisional until security clearance is acquired.
- Employees are required to protect the privacy and security of protected health information as defined in State and Federal Law.

- Current Washington State driver's license.

**UNION MEMBERSHIP:** Positions in this classification are represented by Local #17.

**CLASS CODE: 8346**

**SEQUENCE NUMBER: 2380**